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Applicant:

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HETEROARYL,

HETEROCYCLIC AND ARYL COMPOUNDS WHICH INHIBIT

LEUKOCYTE ADHESION MEDIATED BY VLA-4

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This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated April 25, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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